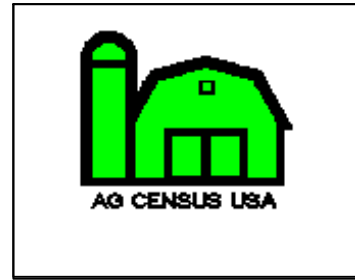


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Land in farms

Decreased 7 percent from 80,683 acres in 1992 to 74,742 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 6 percent from 198 acres in 1992 to 210 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 21 percent from 126 farms in 1992 to 99 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Decreased 8 percent to \$4,733,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 45 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 55 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 5 percent from \$12,664 in 1992 to \$13,295 in 1997.

